



**PATENT**

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Group Art Unit: 2685  
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SELECTION IN WIRELESS COMMUNICATIONS NETWORKS  
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**RESPONSE**

Sir:

Applicants are in receipt of the Office Action dated February 9th, 2006 ("Office Action") and respond as follows.

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